

La Crosse County

Population Fact Sheet

The County Compared to Wisconsin Averages from the U.S. Census, 2000

La Crosse County: Population and Change since 1990						
	County: 2000 Census		STATEWIDE	County: Change since 1990		STATEWIDE
	Number	% of Total	% of Total	Number	% Change	% Change
Total, All Ages	107,120			9,216	9.4%	9.6%
Persons 60 +	17,158	16.0%	16.9%	951	5.9%	5.5%
Persons 65 +	13,440	12.5%	13.1%	899	7.2%	7.9%
Persons 85 +	1,914	1.8%	1.8%	352	22.5%	28.7%

Race and Racial Differences in Age	La Crosse County	STATEWIDE
Percent of 60+ population that is white:	98.6%	95.9%
Percent of 65+ population that is white:	98.8%	96.4%
Percent of 85+ population that is white:	99.3%	97.7%
Median age for all races:	33.5 years	36.0 years
Median age for whites:	34.7 years	37.6 years
Median age for African Americans:	21.7 years	25.4 years
Median age for Native Americans:	24.6 years	27.3 years
Median age for Asians:	17.4 years	22.9 years
Median age for Hispanics:	21.3 years	22.8 years

	La Crosse County		Statewide
Living Arrangements and Housing Units	Number	Percent	Percent
People age 65+ living in family households	7,873	58.6%	61.2%
People 65+ in family households who are householder or spouse	7,409	94.1%	92.7%
People 65+ in family households living in their child's household	254	3.2%	4.0%
People 65+ and living alone	4,084	30.4%	29.5%
People 65+ living in nursing homes	972	7.2%	5.4%
People 65+ living in noninstitutional group quarters	223	1.7%	1.6%
Households in the county, total	41,599	--	--
Households with one or more members age 65+	9,002	21.6%	23.0%
Housing units with householder 65+ that are owner-occupied	6,407	75.3%	75.0%
Housing units with householder 65+ that are rented	2,105	24.7%	25.0%
Housing units with householder 85+ that are owner-occupied	611	57.5%	57.5%
Housing units with householder 85+ that are rented	452	42.5%	42.5%

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census and Census 2000, Summary File 1.

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